

1 **ONLINE, MULTI-CARRIER, MULTI-SERVICE PARCEL SHIPPING MANAGEMENT**
2 **FUNCTIONAL ALIGNMENT OF COMPUTER DEVICES**

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4 **ABSTRACT OF THE INVENTION.**

5 The present invention provides a computer system for managing shipping of a
6 plurality of parcels by a plurality of users using a plurality of carriers that functionally aligns
7 each server computer device of a plurality of server computer devices so that each server
8 computer device performs a plurality of activities in support of a primary function.

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